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CENTRAL INTELLMENCE AGENCY

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NOTE FOR THE DIRECTOR

FROM: E. H. Knoche

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in the Central Cover Staff is feeling rather lonely these days by virtue of the fact that almost everything he does is technically in violation of a law or a restriction. And, we can expect to receive from him papers like the attached wherein he seeks approval for certain of his activities.

In each case, I will insure that they are well considered by the General Counsel and others who have a stake. In most cases of this kind, I think I should defer to you on final approval primarily to insure that you are aware of matters of this kind.

We recommend your approval of this particular paper.

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NOTE FOR: Mr. F

SUBJECT:

Mr. Knoche

CCS Paper for Approval of Notional Covers

in the Fields

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- 1. Pursuant to your request OGC has concurred in the subject paper.
- 2. Because of the DCI's interest in this subject, you may wish to discuss it with him prior to your approval.



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Assistant to the DDCI

Note for: Mr. Knocke;

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NOTE FOR MR. KNOCHE

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SUBJECT: DDO Paper On "Notional Covers in the Fields"

1. Once the DCI signs the delegation paper, items like this should come to you for approval (although on something like this particular one you might choose to discuss it with the DCI since the "has been such a problem).

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2. This paper seems to also raise the overall question of items for your approval or action versus those for the Director. We made a minor change in the delegation paper after you saw it which gives you any authority that is specifically reserved to the Director in our Regulations. As you may know, tasked the ADDA with preparing a paper that outlined all the specific authorities of the DCI. It was after I reviewed this paper that I thought it a good idea to make sure the delegation from the Director to you would allow you to exercise those specific authorities in our Regulations.

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3. This, of course, does not solve the problem of how we will let the Deputies and Independent Office Heads know which items will be for your action or the DCI's. I recommend as a starting point that we disseminate the delegation paper to the DDs and all Independent Office Heads once the Director signs it.

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John:

I can see no problems with this proposal.

Pursuant to my discussion with you that more items of this nature should go through OGC, could we have an official OGC blessing?

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